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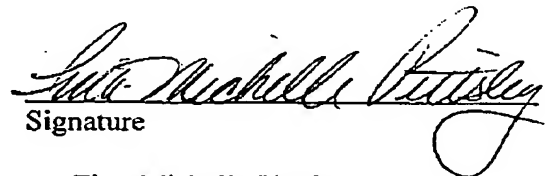
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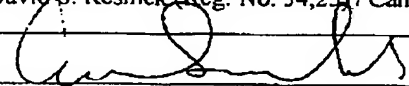
  
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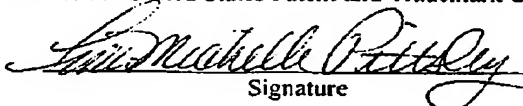
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**Correct data**

1. This application is a 371 of PCT/US03/32428, an application claiming benefit under 35 USC 119(e) of U.S. Provisional Serial No. 60/417,860 filed on 10/11/2002
3. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request that a Corrected Filing Receipt be issued.

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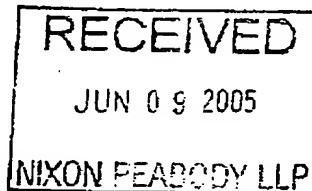


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## Foreign Applications

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